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CHAPTER 25

An Act to amend the Milk Act

Assented to June 13th, 1984

HER MAJESTY, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario, enacts as follows:

1.—(1) Paragraphs 3, 5, 6 and 8 of section 1 of the *Milk Act*, being chapter 266 of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1980, are repealed.

(2) Paragraphs 7, 20, 23 and 24 of the said section 1 are repealed and the following substituted therefor:

7. “cream transfer station” means premises at which cream is received for the purpose of being transported to a plant for processing;

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20. “milk transfer station” means premises at which milk is received for the purpose of being transported to a plant for processing;

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23. “plant” means a cream transfer station, a milk transfer station or premises in which milk or cream or milk products are processed;

24. “processing” means heating, pasteurizing, evaporating, drying, churning, freezing, packaging, packing, separating into component parts, combining with other substances by any process or otherwise treating milk or cream or milk products in the manufacture or preparation of milk products or fluid milk products.

2. Subsection 3 (4) of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

Quorum

(4) The chairman or vice-chairman and two other members of the Commission constitute a quorum, and the decision of the majority of the members of the Commission present and constituting a quorum is the decision of the Commission.

3. Subsection 13 (4) of the said Act is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

Appointments

R.S.O. 1980,
c. 418

R.S.C. 1970,
c. A-8

(4) Such officers, field-men and other persons as are considered necessary for the exercise of the powers and the performance of the duties of the Director may be appointed under the *Public Service Act*, but the Minister may appoint, under this Act, as a field-man or grader any person who has been appointed or designated as a grader or inspector under the *Canada Agricultural Products Standards Act*.

4.—(1) Subsection 20 (1) of the said Act, as amended by the Statutes of Ontario, 1981, chapter 56, section 2, is further amended by adding thereto the following paragraphs:

65a. regulating the inspecting, grading, packaging, packing, marking and labelling of milk products, providing for the establishment of grades, grade names and marks and specifications of containers and packages of milk products and the issue of inspection and grading certificates, and prescribing the fees payable upon inspection and grading of milk products;

65b. regulating and prohibiting the placing of any substance or foreign object in a milk product, the exposure of a milk product to any substance and the producing, processing and marketing of such milk product or a milk product that does not comply with the standards, grades, grade names or marks or specifications of containers and packages established by the regulations.

(2) Subsection 20 (2) of the said Act, as enacted by the Statutes of Ontario, 1981, chapter 18, section 3, is repealed and the following substituted therefor:

Adoption by
reference

R.S.C. 1970,
c.A-8

(2) Any regulation made under this section may adopt by reference, in whole or in part, with such changes as the Lieutenant Governor in Council considers necessary, any grade, standard, grade name or mark, packaging, packing, marking or labelling requirement or specification of containers or packages established under the *Canada Agricultural Products Standards Act*, as amended or re-enacted from time to time, and may require compliance with any such grade, standard, grade

name or mark, packaging, packing, marking or labelling requirement or specification of containers or packages so adopted, including any such changes.

5. This Act comes into force on the day it receives Royal Assent. Commence-
ment

6. The short title of this Act is the *Milk Amendment Act*, 1984. Short title

